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E.O. 11652: GDA
TAGS: MILI, MARR, AF, US
SUBJECT: STATUS OF EMBASSY ATTACHE AIRCRAFT.

REF: KABUL 5859

1. DURING A CALL ON ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER DOST ON JULY 23, I RAISED THE MATTER OF OUR USING THE EMBASSY ATTACHE AIRCRAFT. I HANDED DOST COPIES OF THE 1966 FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE TO OUR EMBASSY AND THE 1976 "AGREED GUIDELINES," SAYING THAT AS FAR AS WE COULD DETERMINE FROM OUR RECORDS THESE WERE THE LAST BASIC DOCUMENTS ON THE MATTER. I SAID WE UNDERSTOOD THE AFGHAN MINISTRY OF DEFENSE HAD SUPPLIED HIM WITH COPIES OF SOME KIND OF SIMILAR AGREEMENTS, AND HE ACKNOWLEDGED THIS, BUT DID NOT DISCLOSE WHAT THEY MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

2. I THEN SAID THAT IN CONNECTION WITH OUR EXTENSIVE USAID ACTIVITY IN THE HELMAND VALLEY, I WANTED VERY MUCH TO PAY AN EARLY VISIT THERE. I HOPED THERE WOULD BE NO DIFFICULTIES. I SAID THAT AFTER COMPLETING MY ROUND OF COURTESY CALLS ON MINISTERS, THE EMBASSY WOULD BE SUBMITTING A DIPLOMATIC NOTE REQUEST-
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ING PERMISSION FOR ME TO DO THIS AIR TRAVEL.

3. DOST GAVE NO HINT AS TO WHETHER I WOULD BE ALLOWED TO USE THE AIRCRAFT, RESPONDING ONLY THAT THEY WOULD BE STUDYING THE MATTER.

4. IN ABOUT TEN DAYS TIME, WE WILL SEND THE FOREIGN

MINISTRY OUR NOTE SPECIFYING WHEN I WISH TO MAKE MY
TRIP.
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